

IN THE CLAIMS:

The text of all pending claims are set forth below. Cancelled and withdrawn claims are indicated with claim number and status only. The claims as listed below show added text with underlining and deleted text with ~~striketrough~~. The status of each claim is indicated with one of (original), (currently amended), (previously amended), (cancelled), (withdrawn), (new), (previously added), (reinstated - formerly claim #), (previously reinstated), (re-presented - formerly dependent claim #) or, (previously re-presented).

Please CANCEL claims 2-16 in accordance with the following:

1. (original) Method for controlling uplink access transmissions in a radio communication system, wherein

a user equipment (UE1, UE2, UE3, UE4) determines a delay time for transmitting a signal on an uplink access channel (RACH), wherein the delay time is randomly determined based upon a probability distribution that increases in density with increasing delay.

2-16 (cancelled)